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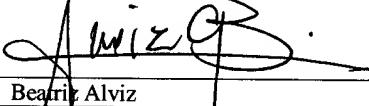
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REPLY AND AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In reply to the Office Action mailed May 21, 2002 (Paper No. 13), Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and reexamination of the present application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

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AMENDMENTS

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the title on the first page, line one of the specification, as shown in the attached page entitled "Amendment to Specification for Attorney Docket Number LeA 32 545" (page 5 of this amendment).